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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

July 3, 2003

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Masato SHIMADA and Tetsushi TAKAHASHI  
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A LIQUID-JET HEAD  
Assignee: **SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION**  
Our Ref. Q76433

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising twenty (20) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract (in Japanese language) and nine (9) sheets of drawings. **The requisite Government Filing Fee, executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, Assignment, and an English translation of the Application will be submitted at a later date.**

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	13 - 20	=		x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
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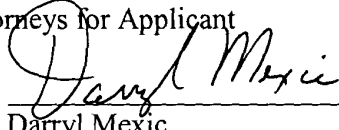
Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
JAPAN	2002-196288	July 4, 2002
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JAPAN	2003-191367	July 3, 2003

The priority documents will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,  
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